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Whately Town Warrant

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

FRANKLIN, SS:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Whately in the County of Franklin, GREETING

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in elections and in Town affairs, to meet at the Town Hall in said Whately on Monday, the fifth day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles:—

Article I. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year, Moderator, Treasurer, Town Clerk, one Selectman for three years, Auditor, one Assessor for three years, one School Committee for three years, one Library Trustee for three years, one Cemetery Commissioner for three years, Tree Warden, Elector under the Will of Oliver Smith, Tax Collector and Constables.

Article II. To receive the reports of the various Town Officers and Committees, and act thereon.

Article III. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray the expenses of the Town for the ensuing year.

Article IV. To see what the Town will do with the money received from the County, called the Dog Fund.

Article V. To see if the Town will vote to make an appropriation for the Public Library.

Article VI. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning Jan. 1, 1934, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Article VII. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to refund revenue loans.

Article VIII. To see if the Town will appropriate money for the care of the cemeteries for the ensuing year.

Article IX. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money sufficient for Gypsy and Brown Tail moth work.

Article X. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for the maintenance of Highways under the provisions of Section 26-299, Chapter 81, of the General Laws.

Article XI. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $22,200. for the maintenance of schools for the ensuing year, or take any action thereto.

Article XII. To see if the Town will vote that the Selectmen be authorized to prosecute and defend all suits that may be brought on behalf of, or against, the Town, and employ council for same.

Article XIII. To see if the Town will vote that the Cemetery Commissioners be authorized to appoint any of its members to act as sextons.

Article XIV. To see if the Town will vote that the Collector of Taxes be paid on a commission basis, the commission to be

fixed by vote of the Town, or take any action thereto.

Article XV. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum not to exceed $50.00 for cemetery work, or to take any action thereto.

Article XVI. To see if the Town will vote to accept any trust funds that has not already been accepted up to date of Jan. 1st, 1934.

Article XVII. To see if the Town will vote and appropriate the sum of $500. to level off and fill in the north side of the East Whately School house ground, same to be used as a Public Play Ground, or take any action thereto.

Article XVIII. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $75.00 to give Schick Test and treatment for prevention of diphtheria, or take any action thereto.

Article XIX. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $382 for payment of Selectmen's outstanding bills for 1933, or take any action thereto.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant, by posting up attested copies thereof at two public places in said Town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of meeting, as aforesaid.

Given under our hands this twenty-seventh day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-four.

MICHAEL E. FLAVIN,
WILLIAM G. STRIPPE,
ALEXANDER MOKZICKI,
Selectmen of Whately.

Town Clerk's Report

The vital statistics for the Town of Whately for the year 1933.

BIRTHS REGISTERED

Mar. 9 Ruth Elinor Dodge to
Homer D. and Anna Merritt Dodge

June 1 ——— ——— Farrick to
Stanley and Helen Jablonski Farrick

June 12 Edwin Targonski to
Frank and Stella Laikowski Targonski

July 8 Fred Bowen, Jr., to
Fred and Beatrice Kleyla Bowen

July 18 Betty Louise Holich to
Paul, Jr., and Christine Bukoski Holich

July 27 Rudolph Pelis to Connie and Alice Zaikoski Pelis

Aug. 8 Regina Klapadlo to
Aleck and Stella Zaikarski Klepadlo

Aug. 27 Marilyn Grace Adkins to
Harold L. and Grace Carter Adkins

Nov. 19 Irene Pielock to
Chester and Wanda Kovalski Pielock

COMPARISON TABLE OF BIRTHS FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS

1929	1930	1931	1932	1933
17	18	11	18	9

MARRIAGES REGISTERED

Feb. 21 Peter Sadowski, 22; Marion Zabawa, 18.
May 2 William Deane, 21; Edna Scott Oliver, 22.
July 3 John Brzozowski, 32; Helen J. Wilga, 26.
Aug. 5 Murray Elbart Lawrence, 26; Evelyn Laura Briggs, 23.
Sept. 17 George Alanson Dickinson, 19; Della Louise Crafts, 24.
Nov. 20 Leslie Joseph Gromaski, 25; Marion Irene Bartos, 19.
Nov. 30 Joseph Mokrzecki, 33; Stella M. Miarecki, 20.
Dec. 26 Stephen Savinski, 19; Victoria Boran, 20.

COMPARISON TABLE OF MARRIAGES FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS

1929	1930	1931	1932	1933
15	8	15	13	8

DEATHS REGISTERED

		Y.	M.	D.
Jan. 14	Cooley B. Dickinson	75	.....	4
Feb. 10	Clara D. Sanderson	58	11	22
Mch. 26	Rose Mary Zaskey	5	2	.....
May 6	Peter Pielock	53	.....	.....
May 20	Bertrand R. Lewis	60	7	7
June 10	Charles Wikowski	58	.....	.....
July 8	Fred Bowen, Jr.		Still born	
July 13	Beatrice Kleyla Bowen	29	.....	.....
Aug. 25	John Martowicz	26	.....	.....
Oct 3	Sarah Knowlton Smith	87	3	4
Nov. 3	Peter Gutowski	65	.....	.....
Nov. 20	Infant Pielock	.....	.....	1
Dec. 17	Paul Glushinski	12	.....	.....

COMPARISON TABLE OF DEATHS FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS

1929	1930	1931	1932	1933
15	16	13	17	13

If any mistakes have been made in the above records, either in name or date, if those interested will inform the clerk of the facts, the record will be corrected.

DOGS

The number of dogs licensed during the year ending December 31, 1933, with receipts and settlements of the account with Town Treasurer, Albert B. Zaskey, is as follows:

73 Male Dogs at $2.00	$146.00
16 Spayed Dogs at $2.00	32.00
6 Female Dogs at $5.00	30.00
95 Dogs	$208.00
Less Fees, 95 Dogs at 20 cents	19.00
Paid Town Treasurer, Albert B. Zaskey	$189.00

HISTORIES OF WHATELY

Number of books on hand Feb. 1933	39
Number of books sold	3
Number of books on hand	36

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Received from sale of books	$3.00
Paid Town Treasurer, Albert B. Zaskey	$3.00

Respectfully submitted,

ARLENE I. ROOTE,
Town Clerk.

Selectmen's Report

To the Citizens of Whately:

In accordance with the requirements of the Statutes of Massachusetts, the following report for the year ending December 30, 1933, is submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL FLAVIN,
WILLIAM G. STRIPPE,
ALEXANDER MOKZICKI,
Selectmen.

PUBLIC WELFARE AID

Expended in Town cases	$2,728.86	
Expended on Mothers' Aid cases	313.00	
		$ 3,041.86

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Expended on Town cases		903.50
		$ 3,945.36
Appropriation	$3,250.00	
Special Appropriation	700.00	
	3,950.00	
Expended	3,945.36	
Unexpended balance	4.64	

CONTINGENT

E. M. Roote, envelopes for tax collector	$ 16.24
Fred M. Decker, sheriff fees	14.00
F. C. Sears & Co., pipe and elbow	1.50
Town of Sunderland, Conn. River Bridge repairs	39.98
Jos. Darr, posting warrant	2.00
Albert Zaskey, phone calls, supplies	9.85
J. W. Heffernan, record book for selectmen	25.00
Daily Recorder, printing health regulations	5.00
F. W. Bardwell, balance 1932 janitor services	12.50
C. M. Bardwell, labor and material for hall	5.75
C. L. Ross, postage on reports	.75
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., demands and warrants for collector	3.64
E. M. Roote, mdse for hall, and postage	7.51
Alex. Mokzicki, Town affairs, auditing	8.50
Wm. G. Strippe, time auditing	4.50
M. E. Flavin, time auditing	4.50
Albert Zaskey, time auditing	4.50
Morris Powers, labor cutting tree, 1932	4.05
Tony Valeski, labor cutting tree, 1932	.54
Alex Gromoski, labor cutting tree, 1932	.54
Peter May, labor cutting tree, 1932	.54
Wm. Oloski, labor cutting tree, 1932	.54
Joe Adamski, labor cutting tree, 1932	.81
Joe Kelentic, labor cutting tree, 1932	.81
Leslie Gromoski, labor cutting tree, 1932	1.35
E. M. Powers, labor cutting tree, 1932	.27
Peter May, labor cutting tree, 1932	2.56
Wm. Oloski, labor cutting tree, 1932	1.35
Leslie Gromoski, labor cutting tree, 1932	1.08
E. M. Powers, labor cutting tree, 1932	.54
S. W. Wood, labor cutting tree, 1932	1.00
Western Cos. Elec. Co., 2 mos. light, town hall	17.48
Metcalf Printing Co., printing reports, ballots	153.60

Northampton Comm. College, typing town records	12.50
Alex. Mann, license refund	1.00
Jos. Hutkoski, truck moving tree, 1932	6.00
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., assessors' supplies	7.37
Western Cos. Elec. Co., lights for hall	5.38
Davol Printing Co., assessors' supplies	14.25
Sally Stefanic, wood for hall	6.00
C. H. Pease, ringing bell for annual meeting, 1932	5.00
F. W. Bardwell, janitor hall, 4 mos.	13.33
F. C. Sears & Co., glass and putty	.95
M. E. Flavin, investigating welfare cases	27.50
Hobbs & Warren, Inc, license book for selectmen	2.66
Western Cos. Elec. Co., lights for hall	6.34
R. Dexter Tolman, repair ballot box	1.35
W. J. Dickinson, Jr., moving safe	3.60
Harvey L. Waite, 3 doz. flags	2.25
Walter Hutkoski, Jr., constable services	3.00
Albert Zaskey, telephone Boston and Northampton	1.95
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., tax book	2.42
E. M. Roote, envelopes for collector	3.28
Barre Gazette, tax bills	7.50
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., tax deeds	2.10
E. M. Roote, envelopes for collector	16.12
F. W. Bardwell, janitor town hall 3 mos.	10.00
Chas. M. Bardwell, repairs on hall	11.50
F. C. Sears & Co., glass and putty for hall	1.50
E. M. Roote, mdse for hall	5.08
Metcalf Printing Co., treasurer's supplies	3.50
J. A. Wood, assessor's work before Feb. 6	6.20
Western Cos. Elec. Co., lights for hall	9.83
Walter Hutkoski, constable services and car	4.50
P. B. Murphy, book for town clerk	.50
M. B. Tyler Co., 2 blades for scraper	12.00

Morris Powers, express on blades	.77	
J. A. Darr, posting warrant and constable services	8.00	
J. A. Darr, services at still, Pielock fire	10.00	
Director of Accounts, certification of note	2.00	
J. A. Darr, constable services, July 3-4, and car	4.50	
E. M. Roote, envelopes for selectmen	1.64	
J. W. Heffernan, book for selectmen	25.00	
E. M. Roote, envelopes for tax collector	3.28	
Deerfield Press, tax bills for collector	6.50	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., book for collector	2.40	
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., 500 tax demands	3.45	
E. M. Roote, envelopes for selectmen	16.24	
Western Cos. Elec. Co., lights for hall	1.78	
M. E. Flavin, to Greenfield and Pondsville hospital	20.00	
Albert Zaskey, phone, 2 journals, record file	8.50	
Jos. Darr, constable services	21.30	
E. M. Roote, envelopes for collector	8.00	
M. E. Flavin, trans. 3 men to CCC camp	3.75	
M. E. Flavin, trans. 5 men to CCC camp	5.00	
F. W. Bardwell, janitor for hall	16.67	
Western Cos. Elec. Co., lights for hall	7.81	
E. M. Roote, mdse for hall	2.31	
Town of Sunderland, repairs Sunderland bridge	5.96	
George Sanderson, wood for hall	6.00	
E. M. Roote, mdse for hall	1.09	
A. I. Roote, vital statistics, justice fees, postage and express	35.77	
M. E. Flavin, 2 trips to Boston and telephones	40.00	
		$ 836.96

Appropriation	$750.00
Transferred from reserve	90.57
	840.57

Expended	836.96	
Unexpended Balance		$ 3.61

TOWN OFFICERS

Frank C. Potter, assessor's work before Feb. 6	$12.40	
J. A. Wood, assessor's work before Feb. 6	16.80	
Wm. G. Strippe, on collector's work	70.00	
Chas. Baldwin, balance on 1932 collectors	43.64	
Robert Nash, services ballot box, annual election	3.60	
Edw. R. Connelly, ballot clerk	3.60	
Howard R. Waite, ballot clerk	3.60	
John Duda, services as checker	3.60	
Robert Adkins, services as checker	3.60	
Montville Crafts, moderator at annual election	5.00	
Frank Potter, assessor's work before Feb. 6	2.00	
J. Z. Flavin, ballot clerk	2.80	
Merrit White, ballot clerk	2.80	
John Duda, checker	2.80	
Robert Adkins, checker	2.80	
Wm. G. Strippe, tax collector	100.00	
Wm. G. Strippe, tax collector	15.00	
Montville Crafts, moderator at special election	2.50	
Arlene I. Roote, clerk salary	60.00	
M. E. Flavin, selectman salary	200.00	
Wm. G. Strippe, selectman salary	50.00	
Alexander Mokzicki, selectman salary	50.00	
Albert Zaskey, treasurer's salary	150.00	
Jas. A. Wood, assessor's salary	75.00	
Arthur Waite, assessor's salary	75.00	
Zigmond Filipkosi	75.00	
Wm. G. Strippe, tax collector	100.00	
Paul Field, auditor's salary	50.00	
Wm. Sanderson, elector's salary	10.00	
		$ 1,191.54

Appropriation	$1,035.00
Special appropriation	200.00
	1,235.00
Expended	1,191.54
Unexpended balance	43.46

GYPSY MOTH

Clifford Sanderson, moth scouting	$7.68	
Merrit White, scouting and transportation	11.60	
Geo. Dickinson, scouting	21.12	
Wilford Bond, scouting	23.04	
Mike Farrick, scouting	19.28	
Gordon Sanderson, scouting	6.40	
Arthur Strippe, scouting and truck	25.36	
Elmer Putnam, sprayer	1.00	
Fitzhenry & Guptall Co., mdse for moth work	2.26	
		$ 117.74

Appropriation	$100.00
From Reserve	25.00
	125.00
Expended	117.74
Unexpended balance	7.26

HIGHWAYS

Morris Powers, filling washout, 1932	$3.82
Leslie Gromaski, filling washout, 1932	3.64
Edw. M. Powers, filling washout, 1932	2.16
Peter May, filling washout, 1932	2.29
Wm. Oloski, filling washout, 1932	2.97
John Caliewski, filling washout, 1932	.94
Wm. Manning, filling washout, 1932	1.75
Jos. Hutkoski, truck filling washout, 1932	19.20

B. Flavin, truck filling washout, 1932	10.20
Geo. Sanderson, gravel filling washout, 1932	6.00
Arthur Waite, gravel filling washout, 1932	1.00
Lennie Sanderson, gravel filling washout, 1932	.25
Samuel Omaster, 2½ hrs. labor, team	1.25
Morris Powers, labor	.33
H. R. Waite, truck	1.80
Frank Zoley, labor	.33
Tony Zoley, labor	.33
B. Flavin, truck	16.20
Wm. Davenport, gravel	1.75
Tony Zoley, labor	1.42
Howard Waite, truck	5.40
Morris Powers, labor	9.57
Jos. Hutkoski, truck scraping roads	51.75
A. A. Mann, labor, scraping and cutting tree	10.30
Wilbur Grover, Jr., labor scraping roads	3.68
Victor Gotoski, tractor scraping roads	21.02
Frank Field, labor	1.50
Joe Hutkoski, truck dragging roads	8.10
Wm. Welga, team and labor	3.25
Tony Symanski, team	5.00
Kenneth Field, labor	1.50
Wm. Manning, labor	1.50
M. E. Flavin, labor	6.00
Walter Kenzel, labor	1.50
Wilbur Grover, Jr., labor	9.75
Victor Gotoski, tractor scraping roads	48.00
A. A. Mann, truck and labor	22.95
B. Flavin, truck	12.15
Frank Symanski, labor	3.00
Kenneth Field, labor	2.25
Wm. Welga, labor	3.00
Gordon Daniels, labor	4.50
Kenneth Daniels, labor	4.50
Mike Farrick, truck	16.20
Francis Flavin, labor	2.58

Mass. Broken Stone Co., stone	3.30
Joe Hutkoski, scraping and patching road	18.90
Frank Gorski, labor patching road	2.16
Walter Oloski, labor	2.16
Morris Powers, scraping and patching road	3.51
Mass. Broken Stone Co., pea stone	2.63
E. M. Roote, gas and oil for truck	2.48
W. L. Dickinson, Jr., truck	6.75
Wilbur Grover, Jr., labor	.74
Jos. Hutkoski, truck	1.80
Leslie Gromoski, labor	.50
Morris Powers, labor	.75
Morris Powers, labor	.83
Eddie Scroski, labor	.50
M. E. Flavin, labor and car	3.00
W. L. Dickinson, Jr., scraping road	8.10
Wilbur Grover, Jr., labor	1.50
Joe Hutkoski, truck scraping roads	3.60
Leslie Gromoski, labor	.60
Walter Kenzel, labor	7.50
Victor Gotoski, tractor scraping roads	51.11
W. Grover, Jr., labor	9.75
Joe Hutkoski, truck	18.00
W. A. Davenport, gravel	1.20
Leslie Gromoski, labor	3.33
Geo. E. Sanderson, gravel	.75
M. E. Flavin, labor	3.00
Robert Adkins, labor	1.50
Kenneth Field, labor	3.00
E. W. Bardwell, gravel	9.30
Geo. E. Sanderson, gravel	3.50
W. A. Davenport, gravel	11.75
Melvin Bardwell, labor	3.00
W. L. Dickinson, Jr., truck	16.65
John Kulesa, labor	6.00
Walter Kenzel, labor	1.50
Mike Farrick, truck	32.40

Clifford Waite, labor	1.50
Raymond Dickinson, labor	6.50
Edward Stefanic, team	5.00
John Wasky, labor	4.50
Jos. Mann, labor	7.50
Gordon Daniels, labor	4.50
Fred T. Bardwell, labor	6.00
Leroy, Lawrence, labor	6.00
A. A. Mann, labor, truck, team	41.75
A. A. Mann, truck, labor, team	40.65
Harold Adkins, labor	1.50
Wm. Oloski, labor	7.50
Tony Symanski, team	5.00
Tony Symanski, labor	7.50
Wm. Welga, labor	3.00
Chas. Mann, labor	7.50
B. Flavin, truck and labor	18.08
M. E. Flavin, labor and car	12.00
M. E. Flavin, labor	6.00
W. L. Dickinson, Jr., truck	28.80
M. E. Flavin, cash paid F. Kulesa, mowing	3.00
W. L. Dickinson, Jr., truck scraping	7.20
Geo Dickinson, labor	1.33
Stanley Leskeskie, labor	3.00
J. B. Flavin, labor	3.75
Francis Flavin, labor	1.50
B. Flavin, truck, labor	60.15
Jas. Filipkowski, labor	1.50
Joe Hutkoski, truck	32.40
Leslie Gromoski, labor	7.50
Geo. Bond, labor	6.50
Mike Farrick, truck	40.50
Stanley Rogeleski, labor	3.00
Eddie Rogeleski, labor	6.00
Chas. Bardwell, labor	8.25
Geo. Sanderson, gravel	12.25
Edw. Allis, labor	2.67

Tony Valeski, labor	6.00
M. E. Flavin, labor	3.00
W. L. Dickinson, Jr., truck	11.70
Mike Farrick, truck	40.50
B. Flavin, truck	40.50
Chas. Kuzentkowski, labor	1.50
Alex Gromoski, labor	7.50
James P. Flavin, labor	7.50
Leslie Gromoski, labor	7.50
Edward Stefanic, labor	.75
John Wasky, labor	8.25
A. A. Mann, truck and labor	8.50
Waskel Galoski, labor	.75
Joe Kuzentkowski, labor	.75
John Kulesa, labor	.75
Stanley Symanski, labor	.75
Frank Symanski, labor	6.75
A. A. Mann, truck and labor	31.80
Joseph Mann, labor	7.50
Raymond Murdock, labor	7.50
A. A. Mann, labor	3.70
A. A. Mann, labor and car on bridges	6.30
B. Flavin, truck and labor	3.20
F. E. Sanderson, repair road	5.00
Geo. E. Sanderson, gravel	9.45
Arthur Waite, gravel	14.55
E. W. Bardwell, gravel	3.75
Sam. Edwards, gravel	22.65
E. W. Bardwell, gravel	.90
Wm. A. Simons, labor	4.50
Kenneth Daniels, labor	1.50
John Moore, labor	4.50
Jas. Flavin, labor	4.50
B. Flavin, truck	32.40
Victor Gotoski, labor	.75
A. A. Mann, truck and labor	55.00
Kenneth Field, labor	6.00

Wm. Welga, labor	4.50	
Gordon Daniels, labor	6.00	
A. A. Mann, truck and labor	4.80	
Kenneth Field, labor	.75	
Wm. Welga, labor	.75	
Gordon Daniels, labor	.75	
A. A. Mann, truck and labor	41.34	
Victor Gotoski, labor	3.00	
John Moore, labor	1.84	
Peck Lumber Co., lumber	4.80	
Wm. Welga, labor	1.50	
Mike Farrick, truck	18.00	
Joseph Kuzentkowski, labor	1.50	
Sam. Edwards, gravel	12.60	
Richard Allis, labor	2.00	
Wm. Simons, labor	1.84	
Leroy Lawrence, labor	1.84	
Paul Holrich, digging ditch	4.50	
Wilbur Grover, Jr., scraping roads	2.66	
		$ 1,498.28
Appropriation	$1,000.00	
Special appropriation	500.00	
	1,500.00	
Expended	1,498.28	
Unexpended balance	1.72	

BRIDGES AND CULVERTS

Morris Powers, labor	$ .75
E. J. Hines, 1000 ft. 3 inch plank	35.00
H. R. Waite, truck	9.00
Wm. Scroski, labor	1.50
Joe Adamski, labor	1.50
Edw. M. Powers, labor	1.78
Joe Hutkoski, truck	1.35
Morris Powers, labor	2.02

C. L. Ross, spikes and nails	3.47	
W. Grover, Jr., labor	6.00	
Victor Gotoski, labor	5.25	
C. L. Ross, spikes	1.50	
Fred T. Bardwell, labor	.50	
Chas. W. Field, labor	1.50	
Joseph Mann, labor	.75	
B. Flavin, truck and labor	9.60	
Chas. Mann, labor	1.50	
Chas. Mann, labor	3.00	
Leroy Lawrence, labor	1.50	
A. A. Mann, labor, railing and post, truck	49.38	
A. A. Mann, plank and railings	58.70	
C. L. Ross, spikes and nails	2.30	
		$ 197.85

Appropriation	$200.00
Expended	197.85
Unexpended balance	2.15

SNOW REMOVAL

E. M. Roote, gas and oil for tractor	$4.14
Morris Powers, sanding roads	7.31
Frank Zoley, sanding roads	2.62
Tony Zoley, sanding roads	3.57
Geo. Dickinson, sanding roads	1.81
Wm. Bond, sanding roads	.33
Robert Nash, sanding roads	1.48
H. R. Waite, truck sanding roads	11.70
W. L. Dickinson, Jr., truck sanding roads	12.39
Wilbur Grover, Jr., driving tractor	6.00
Wm. Davenport, gravel sanding roads	3.50
W. P. Crafts, gravel sanding roads	.45
Arthur Waite, gravel sanding roads	.25
Sidney Lawrence, gas for tractor	2.70
E. M. Roote, gas and oil	5.17
Morris Powers, labor plowing roads	3.30

W. L. Dickinson, Jr., truck and time starting tractor	2.00	
Wilbur Grover, Jr., driving tractor	2.75	
Warner & Goodwin, Inc., plowing roads	88.00	
Wm. Davenport, gravel	.50	
Hosley Bros., charging battery	1.00	
Hosley Bros., repair snow plow and grease	22.55	
W. L. Grover, Jr., driving tractor	11.80	
Leslie Gromoski, labor	1.34	
Walter Hutkoski, labor	1.34	
Max Gorski, labor	.70	
John Gulack, labor	.42	
Morris Powers, labor	4.08	
E. M. Roote, gas and oil for tractor	9.26	
Warner & Goodwin, Inc., plowing roads	122.00	
W. L. Grover, Jr., driving tractor	1.65	
E. M. Roote, gas for tractor	10.71	
Graves & Drury, gas for tractor	6.70	
C. C. McCutcheon, tractor belt	1.40	
Joseph Kuzentkoski, labor	3.68	
Robert Adkins, labor	4.70	
Bernard O'Brien, labor	4.46	
Adolph Kulesa, labor	4.19	
Victor Gotoski, driving tractor	12.80	
M. E. Flavin, labor and car	10.00	
Howard Waite, sanding roads	11.70	
Katie Smikes, sanding roads	2.00	
Tony Zoley, sanding roads	1.20	
Francis Bond, sanding roads	1.12	
Frank Mitzkovitch, sanding roads	.83	
Geo. E. Sanderson, gravel sanding roads	1.65	
W. A. Davenport, gravel sanding roads	.75	
Stanley Liskeski, labor	3.75	
Stanley Wykoski, labor	3.75	
Joe Mitzkovich, labor	3.75	
Francis Bond, labor	7.50	
		$ 432.75

Appropriation	$300.00
Transfer from Reserve	134.43
	434.43
Expended	432.75
Unexpended balance	1.68

CEMETERY CARE

Robert S. Beers, 13 days' labor	$19.50	
Merrit White, 10¼ days' labor	15.37	
Robert Beers, labor	3.00	
Robert Beers, labor	12.75	
Merrit White, labor	3.19	
J. A. Wood, labor East cemetery	4.50	
Comm. Feed Stores, seed and cement	2.25	
J. A. Wood, labor, center cemetery	6.00	
Wilford Bond, labor, center cemetery	3.36	
A. R. Strippe, truck and labor	11.07	
Hans B. Julow, sharpening lawn mower	3.00	
Tony Usecavitch, labor	5.00	
F. C. Sears & Co., repairs on pipe	2.75	
John J. Finn, care of lots under invested funds	173.73	
J. A. Wood, mowing and raking East cemetery	9.75	
J. A. Wood, care of lots under invested funds	24.16	
Edward Allis, water rent	10.00	
Old Deerfield Fertilizer Co., 200 lbs. fertilizer for Center	4.00	
Lennie Sanderson, care under invested funds	24.44	
John J. Finn, care under general funds	12.00	
Lennie Sanderson, labor and grass seed	20.00	
		$ 369.82
Appropriation	$50.00	
Income from invested funds for special lots	222.33	
Income from Barnard fund	37.50	

Income from Dickinson fund	45.00	
	354.83	
Expended	369.82	
Overdrawn	14.99	

CEMETERY SPECIAL

L. C. Sanderson, opening grave	$15.00	
L. C. Sanderson, opening grave	12.00	
		$ 27.00

No appropriation

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Northampton Institution for Savings:		
Bartlett Estate fund deposited	$100.00	
Helen Crafts fund deposited	400.00	
C. B. Dickinson fund deposited	100.00	
Elihu Belding fund deposited	100.00	
Easthampton Savings Bank:		
Caleb Crafts fund deposited	100.00	
		$ 800.00

REFUNDS

District Court of Franklin:		
Refund of overpayment of court fines	$25.00	
Josie Heltoski, refund of tax interest overpaid	7.16	
		$ 32.16

FIRE EMERGENCY

Leon Morton, 3 fires	$1.05
Eugene Graves, 2 fires	.30
Chas. Bardwell, fire	.30
Tony Zoley, fire	.60

Leon Morton, chimney fire	.90	
Leon Morton, fires and loading chemical	6.15	
Eugene Graves, fires	.83	
Leon Morton, fire	1.20	
Eugene Graves, fire	.38	
Whitman Wood, fire	.38	
Leon Morton, Barnoski fire, 23 hrs.	6.90	
Eugene Graves, Barnoski fire, 17 hrs.	2.83	
Chas. Bardwell, Barnoski fire, 56 hrs.	9.33	
Francis Bond, Barnoski fire, 12 hrs	2.00	
Peter Antonio, Barnoski fire, 9 hrs.	1.32	
Geo. Bond, Barnoski fire, 18 hrs.	2.64	
Paul Duda, Barnoski fire, 9 hrs.	1.32	
Leon Morton, 2 chimney fires	2.10	
So. Deerfield Fire District, 5 fires, Pease, Pielock, Stockade, Barnoski, Hubbard	312.05	
		$ 352.58

Appropriation	$200.00
Special appropriation	200.00
	400.00
Expended	352.58
Unexpended balance	47.42

LIBRARY

Bridgman & Lyman, books for library	$28.84	
Bridgman & Lyman, books for library	10.00	
Julia D. Crafts, magazines	21.00	
Arlene I. Roote, salary, janitor and cleaning	62.00	
Flora Sullivan, branch library	15.00	
Metcalf Printing Co., gummed slips	4.00	
Bridgman & Lyman, books	35.64	
		$ 176.48

Appropriation—Dog Fund	$179.77

Income Danforth Fund	15.00	
	194.77	
Expended	176.48	
Unexpended balance	18.29	

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS AND MEAT

J. A. Wood, inspection of meat	$9.25	
Patrick Brennan, inspection of animals	99.00	
J. A. Wood, inspection of meat	11.00	
J. A. Wood, inspection of meat	11.00	
		$ 130.25
Appropriation	$150.00	
Expended	130.25	
Unexpended balance	19.75	

WILD CAT BOUNTIES

Leon Scott, wild cat bounty	$10.00	
Leon Scott, wild cat bounty	10.00	
Geo. L. Scott, wild cat bounty	10.00	
		$ 30.00

INSURANCE

Jas. E. Flavin, 1 year West School	$8.27	
Julia Zaskey, insurance weights and measures	55.00	
Julia Zaskey, insurance Town Hall, 3yrs.	154.50	
Julia Zaskey, insurance So. School, 3 yrs.	82.23	
		$ 300.00
Appropriation	$300.00	
Expended	300.00	

INTEREST

Alfred L. Ripley & Co., Inc., street pavement loan interest	$38.25

C. D. Parker & Co., school house bond int.	63.75	
Northampton Inst. for Savings, discount on revenue loan	239.86	
Alfred L. Ripley & Co., Inc., street pavement loan interest	38.25	
C. D. Parker & Co., school house bond int.	63.75	
		$ 443.86
Appropriation	$500.00	
Expended	443.86	
Unexpended balance	56.14	

OFFICIAL BONDS

Julia Zaskey, town clerk bond	$5.00	
Julia Zaskey, treasurer's bond	16.00	
Oliver Walker & Son, tax collector bond, 1932	4.00	
Oliver Walker & Son, tax collector bond, 1933	32.00	
		$ 57.00
Appropriated	$100.00	
Expended	57.00	
Unexpended balance	43.00	

TAX SALES EXPENSE

Wm. G. Strippe, exp. sale Brennan property	$19.73	
Wm. G. Strippe, exp. sale Telega property	19.75	
Wm. G. Strippe, exp. sale Gorski property	19.75	
Wm. G. Strippe, exp. advertising Brennan, Telega, Gorski	1.50	
Wm. G. Strippe, exp. sale Sakowicz property	19.13	
Wm. G. Strippe, exp. tax title Sadowski	11.98	
Wm. G. Strippe, exp. sale and adv. Kennedy	16.35	
Albert Zaskey, redemption of tax title fee	3.00	
		$ 111.19

No appropriation

REVENUE LOANS

Northampton Inst. for Savings, payment note	$5,000.00	
Northampton Inst. for Savings, payment note	$5,000.00	
Northampton Inst. for Savings, payment note	10,000.00	
		$20,000.00

TOWN DEBT

C. D. Parker & Co., Inc., Schoolhouse Bond No. 42	$1,000.00	
Alfred L. Ripley, Inc., street pavement bond No. 90	600.00	
		$ 1,600.00
Appropriation	$1,600.00	
Expended	1,600.00	

COUNTY TAX

County of Franklin, county tax	$3,250.19	
County of Franklin, dog tax collected	44.40	
County of Franklin, dog tax collected	144.60	
		$ 3,439.19

STATE TAX

Commonwealth of Mass., Old Age Asst. tax, 1932	$6.00	
Commonwealth of Mass., Old Age Asst. tax, 1933	345.00	
Commonwealth of Mass., State Tax	1,530.00	
Commonwealth of Mass., auditing accounts, 1932	237.95	
Commonwealth of Mass., State parks and Res. tax	3.33	

Commonwealth of Mass., Veterans Exemption tax	6.37	
		$ 2,128.65

BARNARD CHURCH FUND

C. H. Pease, Treas., income of Barnard fund	$17.50	
C. H. Pease, Treas., income of Barnard fund	17.50	
		$ 35.00

WATER INVESTIGATION FUND

A. A. Mann, expense and car on investigation	$7.00	
Wm. G. Strippe, time and car to Boston	20.00	
M. E. Flavin, exp. to Boston, 2 trips to Greenfield and car	9.50	
A. A. Mann, time to Boston	2.50	
Wm. G. Strippe, time on investigation	4.00	
Montville Crafts, time on investigation	1.50	
M. E. Flavin, time and car on investigation	11.55	
M. E. Flavin, time on investigation	4.50	
M. E. Flavin, time and car to Greenfield	7.00	
Ernest E. Lothrop, on acct, of survey	100.00	
Chas. Fairhurst, counsel	108.92	
		$ 276.47

Appropriated	$2,000.00
Expended	276.47
Unexpended balance	1,723.53

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Fred B. Bardwell, expenses and fees of sealer	$24.47	
		$ 24.47

Appropriated	$25.00
Expended	24.47
Unexpended balance	.53

RESERVE FUND

Transferred by Finance Board to Snow Removal	134.43		
Contingent	90.57		
Gypsy Moth	25.00		
		$	250.00

Appropriated	$250.00
Transferred	250.00

RECAPITULATION

Public Welfare	$3,945.36
Contingent	836.96
Town Officers	1,191.54
Highways	1,498.28
Bridges and Culverts	197.85
Snow Removal	432.75
Cemetery General	369.82
Cemetery Special	27.00
Cemetery Trust Funds	800.00
Gypsy Moth	117.74
Fire Emergency	352.58
Library	176.48
Inspection of Meat and Animals	130.25
Wild Cat Bounties	30.00
Insurance	300.00
Interest	443.86
Official Bonds	57.00
Tax Sales Expense	111.19
Revenue Loans	20,000.00
Town Debt	1,600.00
County Tax	3,439.19
State Tax	2,128.65
Barnard Church Fund	35.00

Water Investigation Fund	276.47	
Sealer of Weights and Measures	24.47	
Refunds	32.16	
TOTAL ORDERS DRAWN BY SELECTMEN		$38,554.60

LIABILITIES

EAST SCHOOL NOTES

Due November, 1934	$1,000.00	
Due November, 1935	1,000.00	
		$ 2,000.00

RIVER ROAD HIGHWAY NOTES

Due 1934	$600.00	
Due 1935	600.00	
		1,200.00
		$ 3,200.00

Revised List of Jurors

William G. Strippe
Edward R. Connelly
Henry Johnson
Edward W. Wood
Frank C. Potter
Michael E. Flavin
Allen Hafey
Fred B. Bardwell
R. Mosher Swift
Harvey L. Waite
Frank L. Farrick
Alex. Mokzicki

Treasurer's Report

FOR YEAR 1933

ALBERT B. ZASKEY, Treasurer

Balance January 1, 1933			$3,309.37

RECEIPTS

Taxes—William G. Strippe, Collector			
1930 Property	$1,967.38		
1931 Property	7,445.41		
1932 Property	9,466.27		
1933 Property	11,046.44		
		$29,925.50	
1930 Poll	$8.00		
1932 Poll	150.00		
1933 Poll	478.00		
		$ 636.00	
1932 Old Age Assistance	$75.00		
1933 Old Age Assistance	238.00		
		$ 313.00	
1930 Motor Vehicle Excise	$36.60		
1931 Motor Vehicle Excise	154.86		
1932 Motor Vehicle Excise	370.19		
1933 Motor Vehicle Excise	869.14		
		$ 1,420.79	
			32,295.29
Interest on Taxes			1,782.28
Commonwealth of Massachusetts:			
Abatements on 1932 Old Age Assistance Tax			20.00
Revenue Loans			10,000.00
Cemetery Perpetual Care Trust Funds:			
Bartlett Estate	$100.00		

Helen L. Crafts	400.00	
Elihu Belden	100.00	
Cooley B. Dickinson	100.00	
Caleb Crafts	100.00	
		800.00
Income from Trust Funds:		
Danforth Library Fund	$15.00	
Barnard Church Fund	35.00	
Barnard Cemetery Fund	37.50	
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	222.33	
Mary Dickinson Mortgage	45.00	
		354.83
County of Franklin:		
Dog Fund		179.77
Court Fines		75.00
Wildcat Bounty		20.00
Cemetery Commissioners:		
Burial Fees 1932	$30.00	
Burial Fees 1933	27.00	
		57.00
Licenses and Permits		362.32
Dog Taxes for Transmission to County		189.00
Interest on Bank Deposit		16.08
Rent		1.00
Redemption of Tax Title		103.47
Interest Refund—Northampton Institution for Savings		6.11
Joseph Zaskey—Sale of Tractor Parts		10.00
Library Fines		1.90
Sale of Town Histories		3.00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts:		
Highways—Chapter 81 (1932)		1,050.00
Income of Massachusetts School Fund		2,524.19
Aid to Industrial Schools		1,055.70
Transportation of High School Pupils (1932)		2,526.62
Transportation of High School Pupils (1933)		2,001.77

High School Tuition	2,587.90
Tuition of Children (Public Welfare)	216.64
School Superintendent in Small Towns	386.66
Public Welfare:	
Temporary Aid	54.00
Contagious Diseases	123.00
Mothers' Aid	173.33
Federal Emergency Relief Funds	535.85
Old Age Assistance	237.37
Inspection of Animals	49.50
Income Tax	4,775.00
Corporation Tax—Business	211.02
Gas, Electric Light and Water Companies	195.69
Railroad and Telephone and Telegraph Companies	25.39
Insurance and Public Service Corporations	3.68
National Bank Tax	9.93
Trust Company Tax	13.83
Telephone and Telegraph Company Tax	2.48
Sealer's Fees	16.85
	$68,362.82

PAYMENTS

Selectmen's Orders	$38,554.60	
School Orders	23,884.50	
		$62,439.10
Balance in Treasury December 30, 1933		$5,923.72
Tax Titles held by the town		$1,698.00

CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS

Name	Payments	Balance
Irving Allis	$ 3.86	$ 100.83
Dwight Crafts	3.78	100.00
C. E. Crafts	3.75	100.00
Gad and Sylvanus Crafts	8.53	104.59

Samuel C. Wood		2.08	100.00
Betsy Waite		3.86	102.81
Cotton Crafts et al		7.61	201.72
Calvin Loomis		3.82	101.03
Almira Jewett		3.43	91.00
Anna Seymour		14.71	388.80
Chauncey Graves		2.34	62.40
L. F. Graves		24.60	650.66
T. D. Higgins		3.82	101.28
Inez Swift		7.65	202.58
Dencie Stoddard		3.82	101.03
Warren P. Crafts		3.82	101.03
Eli W. Sanderson		3.82	101.03
S. W. Dickinson et al		7.65	202.13
Tilas B. Frary		3.86	102.82
C A. Graves—Carter half		1.93	51.04
Arthur Dickinson		7.57	200.00
Caleb Crafts et al	New Account		100.00
Almira L. Manning		11.94	338.73
C. W. White et al		5.36	152.15
Eugene M. Frary		5.37	152.55
Solomon M. Frary		5.37	152.55
George H. Danforth et al		14.65	415.73
Charles D. Bardwell		3.52	100.00
Hiram Smith		2.64	75.00
B. K. Crafts		3.52	100.05
S. A. Wood		3.54	100.89
Pomeroy Smith		3.57	101.99
Fred A. White		3.71	105.72
Leander Crafts		3.52	100.00
Wm. E. Barnard		3.54	100.25
Ida H. Field		3.52	100.00
Dexter Frary		3.52	100.00
Lucien Moody		3.52	100.00
Lydia Grant		3.52	100.00
Lyman A. Crafts			103.52
Helen L. Crafts	New Account	8.19	400.00

Bartlett Estate	New Account	2.33	100.00
Elihu Belden	New Account	1.17	100.00
Cooley B. Dickinson	New Account		100.00
Barnard Cemetery Fund (General Care)		37.50	1,000.00
Mary Dickinson Fund (General Care)		45.00	1,000.00
		$ 304.83	$10,173.48

OTHER TRUST FUNDS

Danforth Library Fund	15.00	400.00
Barnard Church Fund	35.00	1,000.00
Davenport Poor and School Fund		207.57
	$ 354.83	$11,781.05

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT B. ZASKEY,
Treasurer.

Dec. 30, 1933.

Tax Collector's Report

Whately, Mass.,

January 9, 1934

To the Board of Selectmen,
Whately, Mass.

I have completed the checking of the books of Wm. G. Strippe, Tax Collector, and make the following report of his collections for the year ending Dec. 30, 1933.

On 1930, 1931, 1932 Taxes:

Collected Jan. 1st to Dec. 30th, 1933:		
Taxes	$19,663.71	
Interest	1,763.59	
Abatements	563.74	
Tax Sales	1,567.27	
Tax Sales Interest	152.66	
		$23,710.97

On 1933 Taxes:

Collected Jan. 1st to Oct. 31st, 1933:		
Taxes	$9,290.85	
Interest	2.94	
Abatements	159.71	
		$ 9,453.50
Collected Nov. 1st to Dec. 30th, 1933:		
Taxes	$3,340.73	
Interest	15.73	
Abatements	14.63	
		$ 3,371.11
Total		$36,535.58

He is therefore entitled to total commission as follows:

$23,710.97 at 1%	$237.11		
9,453.50 at ½%	47.27		
3,371.11 at 1%	33.71		
		$	318.09

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL F. FIELD,

Town Auditor.

SUMMARY OF TAX COLLECTIONS—JAN. 1st TO DEC. 30th 1933.

	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1933	Committed during 1930	Taxes Collected in 1933	Abatements in 1933	Tax Titles Purchased by Town	Bal. Outstanding Dec. 30, 1933	Interest Collected in 1933	Interest Added to Tax Titles
1930 Property	$ 2,585.24		$ 1,967.38	$359.36	$ 248.59	$ 9.91	$ 275.95	$ 53.70
Poll	46.00		8.00	38.00			.81	
Motor Vehicle Excise	72.10		26.60	45.50			6.44	
1931 Property	8,753.55		7,445 41	27.23	811.32	469.59	942.86	82.27
Motor Vehicle Excise	284.27		154.86	49.94		79.47	19.41	
1932 Property	16,067.72		9,466 27	5.76	507.36	6,088.33	490.90	16.69
Poll	190.00	$ 8.00	150.00	22.00		26.00	5.32	
Old Age Assistance	95.00	4.00	75.00			24.00		
Motor Vehicle Excise	696.06	8.00	370.19	15.95		317.92	21.90	
1933 Property		23,137.55	11,046.44	120.08		11,971.03	13.49	
Poll		684.00	478.00			206.00	.77	
Old Age Assistance		345.00	238.00			107.00		
Motor Vehicle Excise		1,436.49	869.14	54.26		513.09	4.43	
	$28,789.94	$25,623.04	$32,295.29	$738.08	$1,567.27	$19,812.34	$1,782.28	$152.66

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM G. STIPPE,

Collector of Taxes.

Auditor s Report

FOR THE YEAR 1933

January 18, 1934.

I have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, School Committee and Tax Collector, and compared them with the accounts of the Treasurer, and find as follows:

The Treasurer has paid

Selectmen's Orders	$38,554.60	
School Orders	23,884.50	
		$62,439.10

All orders drawn have been paid, and I find in the Treasury and due the Town of Whately, December 30, 1933 the sum of $5,923.72.

Uncollected Taxes as of December 30, 1933:

1930 Property	$ 9.91	$ 9.91
1931 Property	469.59	
Motor Vehicle Excise	79.47	
		$ 549.06
1932 Property	$6,088.33	
Poll	26.00	
Old Age Assistance	24.00	
Motor Vehicle Excise	317.92	
		$ 6,456.25
1933 Property	$11,971.03	
Poll	206.00	
Old Age Assistance	107.00	
Motor Vehicle Excise	513.09	
		$12,797.12
Total Outstanding		$19,812.34

The Treasurer holds Tax Title Deeds amounting to a total of $1,698.00

PAUL F. FIELD,
Town Auditor.

Assessors

Total value of assessed estate		$1,101,788.00
Value of assessed real estate	$963,242.00	
Value of assessed personal estate	138,546.00	
Value of assessed buildings	553,298.00	
Value of assessed land	409,944.00	
Number of polls assessed		342
Tax rate		$21.00
Number of horses assessed		177
Number of cows assessed		423
Number of neat cattle assessed		216
Number of swine assessed		15
Number of fowls assessed		3,954
Number of dwelilng houses assessed		214
Number of acres of land assessed		12,250
Town grant	$35,310.00	
State tax	1,530.00	
State Audit	237.95	
State parks	3.33	
Special State old age assessment	345.00	
County tax		3,250.19
Overlay	1,669.45	
Estimated receipts	14,679.37	
Total deductions	14,679.37	
Number of motor vehicles		296
Value of motor vehicles	53,532.00	

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES A. WOOD,
ARTHUR A. WAITE,
ZIGMONT J. FILIPKOWSKI,

Assessors.

APPROPRIATIONS RECOMMENDED WITH COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF 1933 RECOMMENDATIONS AND EXPENDITURES, BY THE FINANCE BOARD AND RECORDED BY THEM FOR THE YEAR 1934 ARE AS FOLLOWS:

	Recommended		Expended
	1934	1933	1933
Bridges & Culverts	$200.00	$200.00	$197.85
Schools	22,200.00	22,000.00	23,568.77
Fire Emergency	200.00	200.00	352.58
Town Officers	1,200.00	840.00	1,191.54
Animal Inspection	100.00	150.00	130.25
Highway Chap. 81	3,000.00	1,000.00	1,498.28
Public Welfare	3,250.00	3,250.00	3,945.36
Public Welfare Expense	200.00	.....	.....
Contingent	650.00	750.00	836.96
Cemetery	50.00	50.00	369.82
Town Debt	1,600.00	1,600.00	1,600.00
Snow Removal	300.00	300.00	432.75
Reserve Fund	500.00	.....	250.00
Insurance	625.00	300.00	300.00
Official Bonds	50.00	100.00	57.00
Gypsy Moth	125.00	100.00	117.74
Interest	300.00	750.00	443.86
Sealer Weights & Measures	25.00	25.00	24.47
Library	50.00	.....	
Anti-Toxin Treatment	75.00	.....	
	$34,500.00	$31,615.00	$35,317.23
Less income on invested cemetery funds			304.83
Total expenditures for 1933			$35,012.40

LESLIE W. SWIFT, Chairman.

Report of Cattle Inspector

The annual inspection of barns and animals was completed during December and January at which time I visited 110 stables and found 856 cattle, 105 swine, and 3 goats.

With very few exceptions the conditions under which they are kept were very sanitary.

Respectfully submitted,

PATRICK L. BRENNAN,

Inspector of Animals.

Gypsy and Brown Tail Moth

Scouting for extermination of gypsy moth has been done this year as in years past throughout the town. 509 egg clusters were found and destroyed. A state representative was present nearly every day the men were scouting thereby assuring no questions as to how widely and wisely the appropriation was used.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. FINN,

Local Moth Superintendent.

Report of School Committee

January 1, 1933 to December 31, 1933

Mr. Montville L. Crafts, Chairman	Term expires 1936
Miss May Potter, Secretary	Term expires 1934
Mr. Emory Sanderson	Term expires 1935

UNION SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Conway—Deerfield—Sunderland—Whately

Marvin E. Janes	South Deerfield
Office, High School Bldg., Tel. 190	Residence Tel. 168

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Chas. H. Moline, M.D.

SCHOOL NURSE

Elsie F. Smith, R.N.

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

William G. Strippe

TEACHERS

East School	
Jessie P. White	Grade 8
E. Maybelle Roote, Prin.	Grade 7
Marion W. Hager	Grades 5 and 6
Katherine H. Deinlein	Grades 3 and 4
Margaret B. Brennan	Grades 1 and 2
Center School	
Argie L. Strippe, Prin.	Grades 4 and 5
Dorothy G. Strippe	Grades 1 to 3

SCHOOL CALENDAR—1934

January 3, Schools reopen.
February 23, schools closed for one week.
March 5, Schools reopen.
April 27, Schools close for one week.
May 7, Schools reopen.
June 15, Schools close for summer vacation.
September 4, Schools open.
November 29 to November 30, Thanksgiving Recess.
December 21, Schools close for Holiday vacation.
January 2, 1935 Schools reopen.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

EXPENDITURES

I. GENERAL EXPENSE

School Committee:		
Montville L. Crafts	$60.00	
May Potter	50.00	
Emory Sanderson	40.00	
William G. Strippe, attendance	25.00	
		$ 175.00
Superintendent and Enforcement of Laws:		
Marvin E. Janes, salary and expenses	$681.85	
Marvin E. Janes, expense	22.96	
Minnie E. Clapp, clerk	90.00	
		$ 794.81

11. EXPENSES OF INSTRUCTION

Special Teacher:		
Ann M. Gillern	$152.58	$ 152.58
Teachers:		
E. Maybelle Roote	$950.50	
Katherine H. Deinlein	885.43	
Margaret B. Brennan	885.43	

Adrianna Urbanski	513.00	
Argie L. Strippe	904.54	
Dorothy G. Strippe	885.43	
Jessie P. White	964.00	
Marion A. Hager	880.00	
Teachers' Retirement Board	214.17	
Mrs. Dorothy MacKay, substitute	24.00	
Mrs. Isabel Delano, substitute	24.00	
Mrs. Brendon Ryan, substitute	16.00	
		$ 7,146.50

Books:

Arlo Publishing Co.	$ 5.71	
American Book Co.	6.76	
Ginn and Co.	41.88	
D. C. Heath & Co.	11.07	
Longman Green Co.	3.42	
Lyons & Carnahan	8.54	
Silver, Burdett & Co.	15.94	
Webster Publishing Co.	3.12	
Laidlaw Co.	1.50	
Houghton Mifflin Co.	13.31	
Noble & Noble	4.87	
Iroquois Publishing Co.	3.07	
		$ 119.19

Supplies:

Milton Bradley Co.	$ 19.20	
J. L. Hammett Co.	118.98	
Scott, Foresman Co.	3.60	
World Book Co.	14.31	
Papercrafters, Inc.	9.44	
Phillip James	8.90	
Mrs. E. Maybelle Roote	5.80	
		$ 180.23

III. EXPENSES OF OPERATION

Janitors:

J. Arthur Wood	$477.25	
E. W. Wood	315.00	
A. B. Wolfram	215.23	
Nellie Farrick	3.00	
Frank Mitzcovitz	2.00	
Francis Bond	1.15	
		$ 1,013.63

Fuel:

K. C. Powers	$262.25	
W. L. Dickinson, Jr.	16.00	
George E. Sanderson	30.00	
Jennie Bardwell	24.00	
D. F. Riley	13.50	
		$ 345.75

Miscellaneous:

Western Counties Electric Co.	$31.33	
Chas. H. Thomas Co.	8.50	
J. L. Hammett Co.	3.22	
Holmerden Co.	5.25	
E. M. Roote, supplies	14.47	
Commissioner of Public Safety	5.00	
Commonwealth of Mass.	5.63	
O'Connell-Quirk Co.	6.75	
Town of Hatfield	19.50	
Foster Farrar Co.	3.20	
Edward H. Allis	30.00	
		$ 132.85

IV. EXPENSES OF MAINTENANCE

Repairs:

Foster Farrar Co.	$ 5.08	
C. E. Parsons	5.00	

W. E. Roberts		51.48	
H. W. Wolfram		2.42	
Metevier Bros.		37.70	
E. E. Allis		1.50	
Franklin County Lumber Co.		46.61	
Wilford Bond		1.00	
Geo. Dickinson		20.50	
W. L. Dickinson		12.57	
G. W. Wood		34.80	
Deerfield Hardware Co.		4.40	
The Drapery Store		40.50	
Mrs. E. Maybelle Roote		1.20	
			$ 264.76

Transportation:

Elementary

W. L. Dickinson, Jr.	$1,650.00	
W. G. Strippe	1,310.00	
		$ 2,960.00

High School

G. R. Fisher Co., Inc.	$ 85.00	
William P. Heafey	1,405.00	
Mrs. Fred Bardwell	82.80	
Stephen Omasta	138.00	
Walter Kowalski	34.50	
Homer L. Crafts	101.38	
Hiram Zoly	69.24	
Howard R. Waite	65.94	
Edwin Graves	29.44	
Mrs. John Flavin	73.60	
		$ 2,084.90

Vocational

Mrs. William Wilga	$147.20
Conway Garage	18.80
Mrs. Fred B. Bardwell	61.60

Max Gorski	40.80		
Katie Smikes	38.40		
Frank Wykowski	64.40		
Joseph Wysinski	40.80		
Alex Zaikowski	11.46		
		$ 423.46	
			$ 5,468.36

Tuition:			
Elementary			
Town of Deerfield		$150.00	
High School			
Town of Deerfield	$5,071.10		
City of Northampton	735.00		
		$ 5,806.10	
Vocational			
Smith's Agr. School	$1199.38		
Town of Deerfield	508.70		
		$ 1,708.08	
			$ 7,664.18

Health:		
Fiske & Stecker	$ 4.05	
Elsie F. Smith, nurse	369.56	
Charles H. Moline, M.D.	50.00	
Billings' Drug Store	3.05	
		$ 426.66

SUMMARY

EXPENDITURES

I.	General Expense	$ 969.81	
II.	Expenses of Instruction	7,598.50	
III.	Expenses of Operation	1,492.23	
IV.	Expenses of Maintenance	264.76	
V.	Auxiliary Agencies	13,559.20	
			$23,884.50

FUNDS RECEIVED BY THE TOWN FROM STATE AND OTHER SOURCES ON ACCOUNT OF SCHOOLS 1933

Mass. School Fund, Part I	$3,590.00	
Mass. School Fund, Part II	2,524.19	
Transportation High School Pupils	2,001.77	
Tuition High School Pupils	2,587.90	
Tuition and Transportation, Vocational	1,055.70	
City of Boston and Mass. Training Schools, Wards	216.64	
Superintendent's salary	386.66	
		$12,362.86

SUMMARY

Total Expended by Town for Schools, 1933	$23,884.50	
Less Receipts as above, 1933	12,362.86	
Net Cost to the Town		$11,521.64

ESTIMATES FOR 1934

Superintendent, salary	$ 620.00
Clerk and Census	100.00
Teachers	6,550.00
Attendance Officer	25.00
Books	300.00
Supplies	250.00
Janitors	800.00
Fuel	625.00
Miscellaneous Operating Expenses	150.00
Repairs and Replacement	380.00
Transportation:	
Elementary	2,700.00
High School	1,900.00
Tuition, High School	5,650.00
Health	350.00

Contingent Fund	500.00	
Vocational Education:		
Tuition	1,000.00	
Transportation	600.00	
		$22,500.00

EXTRACTS FROM STATE RETURNS OF JUNE 1933

Number of pupils enrolled in elementary schools	249
Number of pupils enrolled in high schools	59
Total	308
Average expenditure per pupils in elementary and high schools	81.43
Average net cost to Town from local taxation	41.83
Average expenditure per pupil in elementary schools	58.07
Average expenditure per pupil in high schools	134.49
Average net cost per pupil in high school from local taxation	56.70

These figures do not include enrollment or costs in vocational education.

REPORT OF THE

Superintendent of Schools

To the School Committee of Whately:

In these days when the price, in so many instances, is considered more significant than the value, a statement of the objectives and aims of education may seem desirable. To those active in educational affairs, these are familiar terms. Yet all supporters of education should recognize in the various activities of their schools the efforts to attain these aims:

a. Health, physical efficiency.
b. Training in fundamental processes.
c. Worthy home membership.
d. Vocation, occupational efficiency.
e. Citizenship, community service.
f. Worthy use of leisure time.
g. Ethical character.

A consideration of these objectives helps to reveal a broader interpretation of school activities and purposes and a more satisfactory explanation of the protest against too great a restriction of educational revenues. The most efficient and highly organized school system could scarcely hope to attain full accomplishment of all these objectives even if it were possible to measure the results by arbitrary standards. Yet these are the goals for which the school and the home must aim in the training of our American youth. In cooperation with the home and the church, the schools must assume this responsibility and make their claim for adequate support.

Generally speaking, this has not been a year of any great progress in formal education. Watching a budget is comparable in some respects to watching a clock. Most appropriations were

reduced, and in some cases in the face of additional burdens. In administrative matters, it has been a year of experiment and expediency, trial and error—many trials and some errors. In common with other town officials, the superintendent and committees have spent much time and effort in making necessary adjustments.

In the school departments of the Union, there are 58 full time positions, 6 part time positions and 21 bus routes and operators. In almost every position or service readjustments have been made in salaries, personnel or duties during the last 18 months. These have involved much detail, correspondence and in many cases new schedules of State reporting and office procedure. During the previous year, the Union disbursed and reported through the office $150,824.16, this year $137,527.94, a decrease of $13,-296.22. Yet the Committees have striven to maintain a reasonable standard of schools and in many cases have managed to make needed improvements to equipment and property.

The action of the last Town meeting in reducing all town appropriations brought about the last step in the consolidation of Whately schools. In 1928 schools were maintained in 5 different buildings with 9 teachers. In addition, 35 children were instructed in the South Deerfield Schools. Last September saw all elementary pupils gathered in two rooms at the Center school and five rooms at the East School.

Last year the 6th, 7th and 8th grades occupied the South school. This was a very satisfactory grouping with decided advantages to all concerned. However, with a vacant room in the East school it seemed economically inconsistent to operate the South school and these classes were transferred in September to the East school. In making the consolidation some adjustments had to be made in the distribution of the pupils. These are not entirely satisfactory and may be avoided later. The registration in the first grade in the Center school fell to 4 pupils who were later also transferred to the East school, leaving but 2 grades in the primary room at the Center. There are now 5 rooms having 2 grades each and 2, the 7th and 8th, having but the single

grade in a room. No classroom is at present overcrowded but several are near the limit. There are very few pupils to enter the 1st grade next year and unless there is a decided increase in other grades, the present grouping me be continued.

During the year a very successful dental clinic was sponsored by Franklin County Chapter of the Red Cross and operated by Dr. Hall with the aid of the school nurse and the generous co-operation of the Parent-Teacher Association. The return of the Clinic was requested by the School Committee and it is expected that operation will be started in January.

During the year all the school rooms have been redecorated. Six of these were painted during the holiday vacation as a CWA project. This was a much needed improvement. The basement and outside walls of the East school should receive immediate attention.

Miss Adrianna Urbanski, who had given long and faithful service in the East school, resigned in June to accept a position at home. In the consolidation following, her place was not filled. I hope that some arrangement can be made to restore the special instruction in music which was eliminated at the close of the year. The restoration of the salary schedule for teachers would mean very little financial outlay for the Town. We are not now receiving the full State reimbursement to which their experience and training entitles the Town. An increase of $25 to $50 could be made to each salary without any addition to the net cost of the schools.

A reference to the statistical part of this report shows little change in the high school registration. Four of the Whately pupils recently graduated from the Deerfield High School are in college this year.

The financial report shows the school expenditures this year to be $23,884.50, a reduction of $3,611.37 from last year's figures. The net cost this year to the Town after deducting reimbursements is $11,521.64 or 50% of the total expenditure.

I am especially indebted to the teachers of the schools for their faithful cooperation in this year of change and adjustment. They have carried on faithfully in the face of reduced income, increased burdens, and in some cases of inadequate facilities. For the continued cooperation of the School Committee and patrons of the schools, I am grateful.

Respectfully submitted,

MARVIN E. JANES,

Superintendent of Schools.

REPORT OF

School Nurse

My dear Mr. Janes:

In looking forward to this year's service to the school children of Whately one activity begun in a small way in December, promises to be of much benefit over a long period of time to the children receiving this care. In every school system there are a few children, who for various reasons, present behavior problems. Mental hygienists have found that serious mental difficulties occurring in later life are traceable to childhood maladjustments. The Child Guidance Clinics were established to help children who are having difficulties in school work due to varied problems.

A very modest start has been made in this direction in the schools, but I am sure the results will far outreach those of many of the other activities.

Four children found in the Chadwick Clinic to need follow-up care, have been weighed regularly and were taken to Sunderland for re-examination in the fall. The clinic found that each child had improved during the year and asked for further observation for another year.

Two children were given the benefits of three weeks of care and health training at the Greenfield Health Camp.

The greatest benefit to the largest number of children was the holding of a dental clinic in the Schools. Seventy-two children were treated at the school clinic, thirty-seven of these receiving dental certificates stating that every needed correction had been made. One hundred ninety-seven corrections were made for these seventy-two children. These corrections were cleaning, filling, and extraction of both temporary and permanent teeth. It is satisfying to know that this service will again be offered next year.

Occasionally a condition develops which baffles everyone in contact with it. Such a baffling situation arose over one child in the schools last year. After the careful study by many minds of this condition, coupled with months of work. I am glad to report that a well and happy child has again taken his place in the school program.

May I again point out that we are failing in our duty to the children, when we fail to give them protection against diphtheria! I urge the serious consideration of this matter by every parent of young children.

Few communicable diseases were reported among the children, which gave more time to spend on other routine activities.

A greater need of the necessities of life has been found among the children this year, and some time has been devoted to obtaining these for them. A child who is half fed or half clothed can't do good school work, so whatever he needs must be supplied.

The much needed renovating of the buildings, recently done, has helped in many ways and the influence of clean surroundings will react in the children's lives.

Accept, again, my apprecation of the fine spirit of cooperation of everyone connected with the school system.

Respectfully submitted,

ELSIE F. SMITH, R.N.

REGISTRATION AND ATTENDANCE

WHATELY SCHOOLS

SEPTEMBER-DECEMBER 1933

School	Registration	Percent of Att.	Teacher
Center 1, 2, 3	31	97.0	Dorothy Strippe
Center 4, 5	37	95.4	Argie Strippe
East 1, 2	31	*97.0	Margaret Brennan
East 3, 4	34	96.6	Katherine Deinlein
East 5, 6	40	96.3	Marion Hager
East 7	37	95.4	E. Maybelle Roote
East 8	31	92.2	Jessie White
	241	95.7	

* Highest per cent of attendance

CLASS ROLL 1933

Whately Grammar School

Elliott Allis
Ethel Allis
Frances Allis
Gilbert Allis
Minnie Ashman
Elizabeth Crafts
Susie Duda
Anna Flynn
Edwin Graves
Nellie Karwoski
Irene Kowalski
Anna Kulesa
Joseph Kuzdeba
Walter Kuzontkoski
Ben Maiewski
Camilla Maiewski
Steve Olynik
Mike Pasiecnik
Sophie Puchalski
Mary Serovik
Jennie Shiok
John Vegrzynowicz
Stafka Wickowski
Edward Wrobleski
Eddie Wykowski
Nellie Zaikowski

WHATELY GRADUATES

Deerfield High School
- Leonard Denton
- Stanley Kulesa
- Frank Wojtklewicz
- Norma Wood

Northampton High School
- Kenneth Daniels